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to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:

transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 CFR 1.53 is the patent application of  
Gulko, et al.entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING INSURANCE INSOLVENCY  
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Enclosed are:

- X 118 pages of written description, claims and abstract.
- X 49 sheets of drawings with indicia on back.
- X Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C.122(b)(2)(B)(i).
- X unexecuted Declaration
- X return receipt postcard

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**35U.S.C.122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

First Named Inventor: Gulko, et al.  
Title: Method and Apparatus for Performing  
Insurance Insolvency Operations  
Atty Docket Number: **GFM-00101**

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